

# St. Albert Gazette

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## Canucks Chase Puck Instead Of Reds In Spare Time



Hockey enthusiasts in Canada's 25th Infantry Brigade find the frozen Imjin River in Korea provides an outdoor hockey rink as good as home. The soldiers play their inter-unit hockey league games on a regulation size rink a short distance behind the front lines.

## Fire Strikes Car And Garage

MORINVILLE—Fire, believed to have been caused by an overheated stove, caused extensive damage to a garage and car here shortly after midnight, March 5.

The garage and car were the property of Albert Ethier of Morinville. His car was a 1953 Chevrolet purchased three weeks previously and driven only 1,500 miles.

Frank Kirby, an employee of the Imperial Oil Company Limited, who was passing by, turned in the alarm to the Morinville Fire Brigade. The brigade responded immediately.

## Sports Association Holds Annual Meet

MORINVILLE—The Morinville Sports Association will hold their annual meeting at the Community Hall on Wednesday, March 18, at 8:30 p.m.

The main topic of discussion will be plans for an arena at Morinville.

A good turnout is expected to pledge support to this worthy and popular cause.

## Morinville News Briefs

Mrs. Alex Reid left by plane recently to attend her brother's funeral at Aurora, Illinois. He was G. E. Orr.

Mrs. C. Thurst gave birth to a baby here last Sunday. Roland Lambert is back home after prolonged treatment at the Edmonton General Hospital.

Watch for news regarding a boxing match to be held at Morinville soon.

Mrs. J. H. Perry underwent a minor operation at the General Hospital last week. She has since returned home.

The newly-elected town councillors and school trustees took the oath of office at the town office Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Mary Fitzgerald, who has been teaching at the Riverview-Baker school for the past six years, is a patient at the Edmonton General Hospital.

## M.D. MORINVILLE

## Increase in School Budget Will Require Higher Mill Rate

MORINVILLE—At the February meeting of the Municipal Council here members of the Sturgeon School Division Board of Trustees, along with the Secretary-Treasurer Ernest Madden, called on the Council and tentative school budget for the year 1953 was discussed with the Council.

The tentative budget showed an increase with the previous year of \$7,616.00, which on assessment basis, would require a mill rate of 30.24 to be levied. The Board also advised the Council that they had an appointment at 3:00 p.m. with the teachers to negotiate on salaries with them. There would, in all probabilities, be an increase in this regards. The Council advised that they were agreeable to this tentative budget; increased grants were also discussed with the Board. A request for a further advance of \$20,000.00 was also made to Council.

Moved by Councillor Meunier that we advance another \$20,000.00 to the Sturgeon School Division No. 24 as requested, being an advance on their 1953 School Requisition.

Following is the monthly report of the minutes of the meeting of the Council of the Municipal District of Morinville No. 91, held in the Council Chambers at the Municipal Office in Morinville, Alberta, on February 12 and 21, 1953.

Present: John Schafers, Division No. 1; Stanley M. Walker, Division No. 2; Nick C. Perotti, Division No. 3; Gustave Meunier, Division No. 4; Emmanuel Leduc, Division No. 5.

The meeting was declared open by the Mayor at 10:15 o'clock a.m.

### Adoption Of Minutes

Moved by Councillor Racine that the minutes of the meeting held on January 15, 1953, be approved as read and received by the Council. Carried.

### Adoption Of Financial Statement

Moved by Councillor Walker that the financial statement for the period ending January 31, 1953, be adopted as read by the Council by the Secretary-Treasurer. Carried.

### Presentation Of Accounts

Account were now presented to the Council for their approval

and the passing of the same for payment.

### Fertilizer Re Alex Milnes

The Council were now advised that the sum of \$84.20 had been received from the Public Administrator in regards to the above mentioned estate and that the following accounts are payable in regards to the above mentioned: Howard & McBride, \$75.00, and the City of Edmonton, \$7.50.

Moved by Councillor Meunier that these accounts be approved and passed forthwith for payment. Carried.

### Fertilizer Account, \$307.75

The above account as received from Spargo Brothers regarding the advancing of fertilizer on the S.E. 16-56-25-W4 was now presented to the Council for their consideration.

Moved by Councillor Meunier that this account be returned to the above mentioned firms and that they be advised that this account has at no time been approved by the Council or the Service Board, and that they will have to look for payment directly from the firm on who ordered the same. Carried.

### Union Tractor And Equipment Co. Ltd.

"Mr. Lydiatt now called on the Council regarding Patrol and Tractor that may be required by the Council. He was advised by the Council that should his company be prepared to meet the requirements of the Council on a tractor of the Allis-Chalmers tractor, they would be prepared to make a deal.

Council adjourned for lunch at 12:45 o'clock p.m.

Council re-assembled at 2:00 o'clock p.m.

### S.E. 16-57-22-W4th

This parcel was sold at a tax sale on February 15, 1947, and there remains an amount of \$4,300.00 in Land Taxes which

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## STURGEON SCHOOL DIVISION

## New School Budget Adopted By Board With Slight Increases Over Last Year

MORINVILLE—At the February meeting of the Sturgeon School Division Board, budget estimates for the year 1953 were considered. A total of \$539,818.00 was finally set with requisitions on the municipalities of \$388,519.00. The difference will be made up by a Provincial Government grant. This represents but a slight increase over last year. For discussion of the budget the Board met briefly with the council of Morinville M.D.

Following is report of the meeting of the Divisional Board of the Sturgeon School Division No. 24, held on February 11, 12 and 17. Present were Trustees Chauvel, Cunningham, Veness, Allen, McCue, Messier, and Secretary Meadon.

On the motion of Mr. Allen the minutes of the last meeting were approved.

On the motion of Mr. Cunningham the accounts as filed by the secretary-treasurer were ordered paid.

On the motion of Mr. Veness it was decided that the auditor's annual financial statement be published in the Edmonton Sun, The Morinville Journal, The St. Albert Gazette and the Legal Record.

On the motion of Mr. Cunningham, Mr. Messier was appointed to represent the Divisional Board at a special meeting of the business men and Council of St. Albert. This meeting is being called to discuss a proposed water and sewer system for the Town of St. Albert.

On the motion of Mr. Cunningham the settlement covering the fire loss at St. Charles School, submitted by the Insurance Company was accepted. It was decided to compensate the pupils and teacher to the extent of fifty percent of their losses.

A delegation representing the Thibeault School District (Morinville) called to interview the Divisional Board.

The Divisional Board was informed that because the school population in Morinville is increasing substantially, the Thibeault School will not be able to accommodate the elementary school pupils from Divisional Districts after the close of the present term. The High School pupils from the Divisional Districts could be accommodated in the Thibeault School.

It was decided to hold a meeting with the Board of Trustees of the Thibeault School District after the forthcoming election and to (Continued on page 12)

## Theft Reported In Morinville

MORINVILLE—Petty crime has been in evidence here for many years but it seems to have reached a new high last week when what is believed to be an organized ring victimized John Schafers.

A farm worker, employed through the Unemployment Insurance Commission and giving his name as Arthur Ross, made away with at least \$100 worth in clothing and miscellaneous goods and Mr. Schafers' 1950 Monarch Sedan after having worked there for three days.

R.C.M.P. were called and are investigating.



JEAN-PAUL NOLETT, dont la voix est depuis longtemps familière aux auditeurs du concert d'été de Radio-Canada. Comme animateur de "Son Soir" à la radio, il a l'honneur de présenter, en français, radiophonique et télévisuelle, les émissions de la série de concert de la radio de la ville de St. Albert. Jean-Paul Nollet a récemment fait des débuts remarqués à la télévision.

## Public Meeting Called For March 16 At St. Albert

ST. ALBERT—The monthly meeting of the St. Albert Council was held on Monday, March 2.

All councillors were in attendance. The water and sewer project for limited parts of the town have been approved by the Board of Public Utilities and arrangements have been made to borrow \$100,000. Year council wishes to emphasize the facts: 1. There have been enough favorable enquiries made, that a large increase in town building and population can be expected as a result of the sewer and water; 2. The necessary \$100,000 can be borrowed now at two per cent interest, the opportunity for which seems unlikely to occur again; 3. The value of real estate in the town will increase in value.

The council has arranged for a public meeting of all the business people to acquaint them with the facts concerning the water and sewer. This meeting is called for March 16 in the Community Hall.

Some persons have bought land west of Kitter's Mill. A plywood factory will be built there this year.

As the population increases, the burden of taxation will fall on a greater number of shareholders, meaning less liability for everyone. The town has been told that its appropriation for school purposes will be over \$16,000. It can't once be seen that this is becoming a heavy burden and more people would be better able to take care of it than the number presently carrying the load.

Indonesian output of tin rose one per cent in 1951.

## St. Albert News Briefs

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Fleihaber, formerly of St. Albert, presently of Edmonton, are leaving about the middle of March to visit in California. Their daughter, Maxine, of Vancouver will accompany them.

The Boy Scouts, under the leadership of Constable Riley, were instrumental in placing the Red Cross advertising around town. Thanks are due to the boys.

Mr. and Mrs. Ken Riley spent last week-end in Vegreville visiting her people.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Barry and daughters, Sandra and Jeanette, spent last week-end visiting her mother at Hay Lakes.

We are glad to report that Mrs. Albert Henry has recovered from her severe illness and is convalescing nicely at home.

There was a misprint in the last Gazette. The objective of the Red Cross in St. Albert and district is \$400 not \$4,000.

The St. Albert Badminton Club entertained the Brainerd Club of Edmonton last Thursday evening. Some of our local members will be taking part in the Edmonton tournament. More news of this event will appear in your next Gazette. Also this club is planning a local tournament.

Mr. and Mrs. Guay and family have moved into the house formerly occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Dave Barry.

Miss Denise Belhumeur is now sharing an apartment with friends in the city. Denise is still working at the Hudson's Bay Store.

Andre Morin, elder son of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Morin, has been working with Calgary Power the last few months.

Carl Summers reports having recovered from his cold. Spring must be really here.

Mr. Leo Latture was expected home from Germany the week-end of March 7. The Gazette is sorry to report he was ill for a month while visiting his native land. Welcome home, Mr. Latture. Irene and Simone, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. René Lafrenchie, have been coming home weekly from the Mariville Convent for the purposes of dentistry.

The Farmers' Bungalow occupied the last week. As the two final games have not yet been played, news of this bungalow will appear in your next Gazette.

The Ice Carnival in St. Albert,

originally planned for Sunday, March 15, was cancelled because of the very mild weather.

Mr. Leo Pelletier of B.C. has sold his business there and will take over his father's farm on the St. Albert Trail. Mr. and Mrs. V. Pelletier are retiring to the city. Welcome to this community. Mr. and Mrs. Leo Pelletier and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Summers entertained recently in honor of her brother, Mr. Johnny Poloway and his fiancée, Miss Mary Fodak of Athabasca. Johnny is now working with Texaco.

Best wishes for quick recovery are extended to the following who are now patients in the hospital: Mr. Roger Gatiou, the small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Zybo, and the small child of Mrs. Nora Ifouldelle.

Mr. and Mrs. Alice Borys of Leduc visited Mr. and Mrs. Carl Summers recently.

Four of our lodge curlers accepted an invitation to curl at Clyde on March 4. They brought home a prize and the report of a very enjoyable time. The curlers were: Lena Lafranchise, Agathe Bouchie, Kay Bonnevillie and Irene Sinclair. Mrs. Louise Fuhr went as a visitor.

Miss Geraldine Mahoux, elder daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Mahoux, has successfully completed her business course. She is now employed as secretary to the Dental Faculty of the University of Alberta.

A boy's and a girl's basketball team each journeyed to Westlock on Thursday evening and enjoyed a game there.

A High School bonspiel in St. Albert is planned for the week-end of March 14 and 15.

Ping pong is now being played in the school auditorium. This is a fast game, not unlike tennis.

Mr. R. Milner of Edmonton took over the farm of Atkinson Bros. on March 15. Mr. David Harrold has been employed as manager of the farm.

Mr. Chas. Abraham of Innisfail visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Angus McDonald last Sunday.

The Altar Society met at the home of Mrs. Geo. Goulin on Thursday evening, March 5. They are sponsoring a card party and high entertainment in the Parish Hall on Sunday evening, March 15. The charge will be 50 cents a person and this will include a good lunch. The ladies would ap-

## Legal News Briefs

The school children are sorry that the skating activities have already been halted on account of the mild weather. To compensate for this loss, a ping-pong tournament is being organized this week. Trophies will be given to the winners in the two main events for boys and girls. Best luck to the contestants.

Mrs. Arthur Lamarche left for the General Hospital last week, where she underwent a serious operation. Her condition is rapidly improving.

An important gathering of the Canadian Council of Co-operation

precipitate a good attendance. Watch for the date of the Altar Society baking sale in April.

The annual amateur concert in aid of the Boy Scouts and Cubs will take place the last Sunday evening in March. A large number of entries would be appreciated. How about everybody joining in this event and making it one grand show.

The Farmers' Union of St. Albert will hold a basket social in the Community Hall on March 20. Cards and amateur talent will feature the entertainment for the evening. Prizes are offered, and everyone is welcome.

The St. Albert 4-H Clothing Club met at the home of Mrs. Henry Lenion on Monday evening, March 9.

Don't forget the second in a series of three card parties. This will be held in the school auditorium on the evening of Friday, March 12. Everybody welcome. This will benefit your Home and School Association.

The March meeting of the Home and School Association will be held in the school on the evening of Wednesday, March 18.

Be sure to greet your Red Cross canvasser with a smile.



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## Community League News Notes

ST. ALBERT — In spite of bonspiels and other events, the Community League executive meeting was well attended last Monday. A prize is to be awarded to the 4-H Club on their Achievement Day.

Anybody interested in modern square dancing should contact the Dance Committee of the League, Mr. H. Vague and Mrs. J. Sharp. The plan is to organize a square dance hour on Community League Dance Fridays.

Another meeting of the Confraternity of young married couples took place last Wednesday evening in the High School. We are grateful to those who show vital interest in these study clubs. Both the committees of the Junior and Senior Confraternity invite all parishioners and friends to a special card party to be held at 8:30 p.m. in the parish hall next Sunday evening.

## SPECIAL BUYS IN GOOD

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1952 1-ton CHEV. TRUCK—Brand new ..... \$225 off  
1951 CHEV. SEDAN, four door, low mileage.  
1949 PREFECT, in good shape ..... \$ 650  
1950 PREFECT, radio, heater ..... \$ 750  
3-ton FARGO, 1949 model, new rubber ..... \$1495

### FARMERS' SPECIAL

Massey-Harris Pacemaker. If you want a good Used 3-plow Tractor, with 2 sets rubber tires, see this.

## BORLE'S AUTO SALES

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## TOWN OF ST. ALBERT

### SYNOPSIS OF BY-LAW NO. 1, 1953

This By-law provides for the issuance of debentures of the Town in the sum of \$100,000.00 for the purpose of providing a water supply and distribution system for the Town.

The By-law authorizes the Council to install the said system and for the purpose to issue debentures of the Town in the sum of \$100,000.00.

The sum of \$32,314.00 is to be charged by way of special assessment for local improvements against all properties abutting on the streets and avenues wherein the said system is to be installed, payable at an annual rate per front foot of frontage of 20¢, payable for a period of 20 years. The balance is borrowed on the credit of the Town at large and provision is made for the levying of annual rates on all taxable property in the town to provide for the annual payments on the said sum after crediting annual net revenues from the operation of the system.

The debentures are to be dated as may be appropriate having regard to the date of sale and are to be payable in twenty annual or semi-annual installments of principal in each of the years 1954 to 1973 inclusive, with interest at a rate not exceeding 6% per annum.

If the loan can be obtained under the provisions of The Self-Liquidating Projects Act, then the debentures will bear interest at two (2%) per cent per annum and will be repayable in forty equal amortized semi-annual installments of combined principal and interest. The debentures may be made redeemable at the option of the Town on or after the 1st day of June, 1963.

### Notice

The above is a true synopsis of a proposed By-law of the Town of St. Albert which has been introduced and which will be finally passed by the Council within four weeks from the result of the preparatory elections thereto.

Witness my hand this 12th day of April, 1953, at the Community Hall, in the Town of St. Albert, has been fixed by the Council as the time and place for taking the vote of the proprietors electors thereon and the poll will be open for such purpose between the hours of 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon and 7:00 o'clock in the afternoon.

PATRYK at the Town of St. Albert, in the Province of Alberta, this 3rd day of March, 1953.

HAROLD E. VAGUE,  
Returning Officer.

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In a typical rabies danger area, Forest Officer J. D. Champion keeps a close watch on the actions of wild life in the Athabasca district. Mr. Champion, at left, passes specimen containers to Ernest Ferguson (right), assistant timber inspector. The heads of suspected rabies cases are packed in these containers for shipment to Edmonton. At centre, the forest officer fires at a coyote in the wilderness north of Athabasca. During his inspection tour, Mr. Champion, in the photograph at right, checks a lynx shot by trapper Irvine Jackson at Meyer Lake. Like many other trappers in the area, Mr. Jackson has agreed to report any suspicious signs of rabies on his trapline.

POISONED BAITS SET

# Rabies Patrols Working in Athabasca Area

## Forestry Officers Join With Trappers In Stemming Spread Of Epidemic From Wilderness Areas

The wilderness of northern Alberta today holds a serious threat to the hundreds of trappers, loggers and homesteaders earning a living in the forests and muskegs. This threat is rabies — the disease which turns shy foxes, coyotes and wolves into fearless marauders.

As the epidemic quickly spreads southward from Fort Fitzgerald in north-eastern Alberta, forest officers and rangers warned isolated areas of the threat and patrolled danger areas. The main movement of the disease-ridden animals is down the Athabasca and Peace Rivers to the Lac la Biche area and Peace River district.

A danger area lies north of Athabasca town in the Calling Lake and Wandering River districts. As part of the Athabasca forestry area, the district comes under the jurisdiction of J. D. Champion, the timber inspector Ernest Ferguson, assistant inspector, and three forest rangers. Mr. Champion keeps a close tab on the actions of wild animals within his area.

### A Large Area to Cover

The Athabasca forestry district covers a large area bounded on the east by the shores of Lac la Biche, on the west by the Athabasca River south of Smith on the south by Township 62 near Perryvale, and on the north by Township 80, about 20 miles north of Pelican Portage. The forest officer works in co-operation with the District Agriculturist and the Game Officer in checking reports in the more settled areas, while radio keeps him in contact with the isolated centres.

In addition to the regular staff, the Department of Lands and Forests has hired four trappers to assist in the poisoning campaign within the Athabasca district. Another 18 trappers are working under the supervision of forest officers throughout the rest of the epidemic area, mostly in the Lac la Biche, Peace River, and Fort Macleod Highway.

The Athabasca crews were chosen because they were reliable and familiar with the use of poison. Each crew has its own dog team and can cover its area within a week. The men set out for the far end of the line with their poison and snares and work their way back to the rendezvous point. In this way, if they run short of poison, it is only a short trip back to the home base for more supplies.

When the poison lines have been established, the men make regular patrol trips, re-setting baits and bringing in the heads of suspected animals.

Each time the trappers reach Calling Lake or Wandering River, a report is made to the forest officer on the success of the baits on their lines. Suspected cases are sent to Athabasca where they are forwarded to the Veterinary Laboratory, Alberta Department of Agriculture, Edmonton, together with information on the date and location of the kill. There they are packed with ice and sent in special containers to the Veterinary Research Laboratory, Federal Department of Animal Pathology, Lethbridge, where the medical diagnosis is made. The trapper also reports on the general condition of wild life in the area.

Mr. Champion and the rangers keep the more than 500 trappers in the Athabasca forestry area well informed on the progress of the epidemic in their district. He has also urged them to report any suspicious actions of animals and to bring in the heads of suspected specimens.

Some of the trappers are reducing the danger of rabies spreading to the wolf population by trapping the grey marauders, in the areas where large packs have been sighted. These men are visited whenever necessary and report any suspected cases.

### A Large Rabbit Population

There is a large number of coyotes and foxes in the district, and numerous scattered packs of timber wolves in the wilderness. The rabbit population—which is the main diet for these animals—is also quite high and has been estimated to average 5,000 per square mile. For this reason, the buffer zone of poisoned baits and the assistance of trappers may play an important part in slowing or halting the general spread of the disease.

To insure that the proper precautions will be taken in sending case specimens for diagnosis, the Alberta Government has set up depots throughout the northern part of the Province. The depot at Athabasca is in the Provincial Building where most of the Alberta Government offices are located. The depot has large addressed metal containers supplied by the Veterinary Services Branch for the shipment of heads or carcasses of suspected cases, and rubber gloves for handling the bodies of any suspected rabid animals.

The people of Athabasca area have shown a great interest in controlling the epidemic and have cooperated by attempting to keep all dogs in the area leashed or penned up. The nearest confirmed cases have been at Boyle, 20 miles south-east, and Lac la Biche, 50 miles east.

The trappers in the Athabasca district work in two-man crews, setting out poison baits and snares near the 19th base line in the attempt to halt the southward progress of the rabid animals. Two trappers work out from Wandering River and another two from Calling Lake. One of the men sets bait east from Wandering River to a point between Townships 14 and 15, where he meets the trapper from the four-man crew poisoning a line in the Lac la Biche area to the Saskatchewan boundary. The other Wandering River trapper works west to the Athabasca River where he meets one of the Calling Lake trappers who has a line between the river and Calling Lake. The fourth man moves westward from Calling Lake to Township 25 at the head of the Athabasca River near Moose Portage.

In this manner, a continuous 143-mile line of poisoned baits is set from the Saskatchewan boundary to Moose Portage.

### A Modern "Wolver"

Irvine Jackson is an example of a trapper who specializes in timber wolves. His main cabin is in the edge of Meyer Lake, 20 miles north-west of Athabasca, and has two smaller cabins farther in the bush. Mr. Jackson has more access to civilization than most trappers, as a lumber company road leads past his cabin to the highway and is passable in a jeep or heavy truck.

This trapper uses a large dog with pack sacks to help him on his trapline, rather than the popular dog teams which are commonly used in the north. When visited by Mr. Champion, the trapper showed interest in the progress of the epidemic, but reported no signs of mad animals on his traplines.

"There are a few packs of timber wolves in the district," he reported to the forest officer, "and I'm setting out poison near their runs."

### PRECAUTION AGAINST RABIES

These are five simple precautionary measures against rabies:

1. Avoid any contact with wild animals.
2. Avoid any contact with domestic animals, particularly dogs, with which you are not familiar.
3. A wild animal which bites a human or shows suspicious signs of rabies should be destroyed immediately.
4. If a domestic animal shows signs of rabies, it should be tethered or placed in a pen and the case reported to the local District Agriculturist, Forest or Game Officer, R.C.M.P. constable or veterinarian.
5. If a human is bitten by a suspected rabid animal, the wound should be thoroughly washed with soap and running water and the victim taken immediately to a doctor, Public Health Nurse or Municipal Nurse for treatment.



## EDITORIALS

### A Prosperity Budget:

#### Something For Everybody

The Minister of Finance, in announcing tax cuts, said the increased productivity of the country and economic developments in the nation enabled the government to pay for defence and social security, and at the same time reduce taxes by a million dollars a day in a full tax year. In 1953, the tax reductions will mean a revenue loss of \$237 million, since the 11 per cent income tax cut is effective July 1, 1953.

In the budget address Thursday evening, February 19th, the Minister of Finance, Hon. D. C. Abbott, Q.C., M.P., announced a series of drastic changes in the tax structure of this country. In effecting these changes, he rolled income taxes back to 1949 levels, slashing government revenues \$361 million in a full year.

Since Mr. Abbott brought down the budget opposition parties have levelled so much criticism at it we think its benefits should be listed, and here they are:

1. Income Tax Down 11%—Effective July 1953, income tax rolled back to 1949 levels, and with defence surtax completely eliminated.
2. Cigarettes Cheaper—Price of a 20-cigarette package restored to 35c. This represents a cut in the excise tax of four cents per package, or \$2.00 per thousand.
3. Stamp Tax Out—Henceforth there will be no need for stamps on cheques, money orders, etc. This tax is repealed immediately.
4. No Radio and TV Licence Fee—The \$2.50 licence fee on radios is abolished, and no license fee will be imposed on TV sets.
5. Increase from 10% to 20% on Deductible Corporation Dividends—The purpose of this change, the Minister of Finance said, is to encourage the people of Canada to increase their stake in Canada's future. He said it would seem to be a good thing if Canadians were encouraged, where they can safely do so, to join in a wider participation of equity ownership in the expanding industrial wealth of our country.
6. Deductions for Medical Expenses increased.
7. \$400 exemption for dependents over 21 years attending University.
8. Changes affecting the small businessman—The changes, effective at once, make reduction of corporation tax rate applicable to the first \$20 thousand of profit, thus according the small businessman a tax cut of 50% on the first \$20 thousand. At 1952 rates the small businessman has paid total taxes of \$7,000 on the first \$20 thousand of profit. With new rates, he will pay only \$3,600.
9. Books will be cheaper—The sales tax on books and material used in their production is repealed. Sales tax also abolished on newspaper.
10. Debt Reduced 30% per capita since 1946—Net debt of Canada (per capita) has been reduced from \$1,092 in 1946 to \$752 in 1953, or 30%, as a result of increases in population and net debt deduction of \$2,284 million in the last seven years. This means an annual saving in interest of \$63 million a year.
11. Farmers and Fishermen Benefit—Farmers and fishermen will benefit from tariff reductions on a number of items which now will enter the country duty free. Plow bolts and other items are of interest to farmers, and for fishermen substantial savings will result in gasoline engines and parts being placed on the free list. Wire rope used in fishing operations is reduced to 10% duty (most favored nation), and free on British preferential tariff.

### The Bible Today

But we know that the law is good, if a man use it lawfully.—Timothy, 1: 8.

## Good News For Albertans

The Speech from the Throne read last week by Lieut. Governor J. J. Bowlen at the opening of the Legislature, was a harbinger of good news to every resident of Alberta.

While other provinces are faced with retail taxes and mounting debts, Alberta, due to the oil boom of recent years, is now virtually debt free. It has taken some time for the benefits of the bulging oil revenues to work themselves down to the level of the common man, but that's what's been promised now, starting this year.

The biggest news is that Municipalities will be able to borrow all the money needed in a few years from the Provincial Government. That will be at a very low rate of interest, which will save every payer of Municipal taxes real money.

Alongside this good news is the fact that Alberta highways will enjoy the biggest building program of all time and a lot of help and assistance is to be given to building good roads in rural districts.

There will be loans to students and control measures for rabies. Undoubtedly other good news will be released from the Legislature chambers during the next six weeks.

This is indeed a golden age for this Canadian province. Besides the ordinary revenues and extraordinary revenues secured from within the province the Provincial treasury benefits by \$28,000,000 annually from the Federal Government. Indirectly, by payments to individuals of Old Age Pensions, and Family Allowances, the Provincial Treasury benefits by another \$26,000,000 from Ottawa. In addition, the Federal Government spent another \$80,500,000 in Alberta last year on Health, Farm Assistance, Highways, Defence, Conservation and in other ways.

### Need Farm Support Prices

A despatch from Washington reports that during the past year prices of American farm products have dropped 11%. At the same time the goods and services which the American farmer buys have dropped 2%. We only have the Canadian figures for the first nine months for 1952, and farm income declined by the same amount of 11%, while farm costs rose 5%, making a net decline in gross income to the Canadian farmer of about 15%.

At the same time, industrial wages for the same nine-month period are up 10%.

In the circumstances, Federal Government prices support is fully justified. These support programs at the present time apply to cattle, hogs, butter, eggs and cheese, and have been low enough to discourage inefficient production.

Considering the net income of farmers, surely few Canadians would contend that the amount of assistance granted has been too generous.

### Good Samaritans

Mankind may be divided into two classes: those whose chief object in life is to obtain things for themselves, and those who live to benefit others, to give as may be needed of themselves and their substance. These Good Samaritans of the race can be found among sinners as well as saints, among men of low degree as of high, among the uneducated and the educated, the poor and the rich. They make up the great international Army of Service, whose distinguished badge is a loving heart and two willing hands.

As a little heaven will cause a great mass of dough to rise, so the influence of even one spiritually motivated human being will spread through the mass of the individuals with whom he is most closely associated. There is no argument so potent as example, no theory that can stand alone against a practical demonstration. He who lives the life will know what is best to do in any given circumstance; he will find the wisdom he needs in dealing with his fellows. He need not make a great ado about it, he need merely go about his normal business, living according to his best light, one day at a time. That is sufficient—provided he is spiritually awakened.

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ALL THE GOATWEED IN SIGHT  
AND THEN QUIETLY LAY DOWN AND DIED!



**BILLY GOERGER**  
AGED 9,  
of Belleville, Illinois,  
WAS ATTACKED BY THIS  
FOX WHILE PLAYING. SO HE  
DREW UP HIS PICTURE—AND  
BEAT THE FOX SENSELESS!!

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## Voice of the People

ALL FOR KING JAMES

Rev. N. C. Lamont obviously doesn't know very much about either the King James Version of the Bible or the new standard revised version. In forty years of study I have never found the K.J.V. to contradict itself, but this new Bible contradicts not only the K.J.V. but it elf too.

In Dan. 8:14 K.J.V. reads of a prophetic time, this being symbolic time. In Eek 4:6 a day is reckoned as a year. In the new Bible it says 2300 evenings and, morning, changing the Prophetic into literal time. Then the K.J.V. reads "shall the Sanctuary be cleansed". The new translation reads it "shall be restored to its rightful place," whatever that means. If these modern translators know anything about sanctuaries, wouldn't they call that three passages of scripture out of harmony.

In 2 Peter 2:9 the K.J.V. reads "reserve the unright unto the day of judgment to be punished". In the S.R.V. it reads "the unrighteous under punishment until the day of judgment." This brings in the false theory of hell or heaven at death.

These translators have brought in translations in many instances to correspond with their own pagan doctrines.

I could quote scores of passages contradicted by the translators of the S.R.V. Therefore it would be difficult for a student of the K.J.V. to accept it as the inspired word of God.

E. AASERUDE.

Carvel.

### AN ODE TO THE FAT BOY

Some say it's nice just to be this  
But others would rather be lean  
I really think you take the cake  
And fast right in between  
Why don't you try some slimming  
dosen  
And see just what would happen  
More than likely you would find  
At your heart's door some women  
craving  
Can't you begin your way  
And to windstand thru back  
side, to your diet and be sure  
Will never you don't lack  
Tobe heed to the warning enclosed  
note  
With never a doubt in mind  
You'll learn your lesson the  
easy  
And never be left behind  
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EVERY DAY MOTHER'S DAY

Never refer to your mother in anything but the most respectful terms. You'll never know the poverty, hardship and neglect she has endured for your sake. Be kind to her, and show her frequently how much she means to you.

86 YEARS OLD.

### MOUNTAINS

The mountains reach into the sky.  
Up, up, up, oh so high.  
Much bigger than the tallest tree.  
They must be oh so very free.

BETTY JAE

Edmonton.

### QUESTIONS BRITISH MOTIVES

England should be honest, and admit that the reason she is against the removal of the Serpenth Fleet from Formosa is not the possibility of extending the Korean war, but the fear that her huge trade in contraband war material may be stopped.

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## Western Women Curlers Compete For Championship Trophy At Regina

Then Eaton Western Ladies' Curling Championship Trophy, emblematic of curling supremacy among lady curlers in Western Canada, was competed for by three Western rinks in Regina, March 2nd and 4th.

The final, which took place in the Regina Curling Club, saw Manitoba represented by a Rapid City rink, skipped by Mrs. G. Dick, with third Mrs. M. Wolstenholme, second Mrs. M. McKinnon, and lead Mrs. S. Pettanice; Saskatchewan, represented by a Regina rink, skipped by Mrs. M. Perkins, with third Miss P. Day, second Mrs. G. Graham, and lead Miss J. Miller; and Alberta, represented by a Medicine Hat rink, skipped by Mrs. D. Close, with third Mrs. F. Adams, second Mrs. M. Hayward, and lead Mrs. M. Oliphant.

Bidding fair to become a national event, the new competi-

tion has added considerable impetus to curling among women's rinks throughout the West. The opportunity to take part in the finals has been eagerly sought after by many rinks.

Provincial playdowns have taken place in Alberta, Saskatchewan and Manitoba, the contestants in the final being the winners of the respective playdowns. It is expected that next year British Columbia will be a strong contender.

Eaton's of Canada, sponsors of the championship, has provided transportation expenses and ac-

## Rabies Is Confirmed In Southern Alberta

LETHBRIDGE — Rabies has been found in two southern Alberta towns, Dr. Robert Connell, animal pathologist at the veterinary research laboratory here, reported Wednesday.

The virus was found in the heads of two dogs, one from Picture Butte, 15 miles north of Lethbridge, and the other from Burdett, 65 miles east of here.

The Burdett case is the farthest south rabies has been reported since the outbreak began in northern Alberta last summer. The previous southernmost case was at Leduc, 20 miles south of Edmonton. Burdett is 60 miles from the United States border.

Dr. A. W. Allan, veterinarian in charge of the health of animals division here, said the disease may have moved in from the south. He said there was an outbreak in southern Montana 18 months ago and rabies could have been passed southward by coyotes, skunks and even by mice.

Dr. Allan is awaiting instructions from Ottawa regarding maintenance of dogs and vaccination. Meanwhile he has asked that dogs be kept in close check.

Dr. Connell is awaiting positive identification of rabies in a coyote shot at Hardville, just north of here.

## Quick Canadian Quiz No. 112

1. How high is Niagara Falls?
2. Direct taxes on corporations in 1926 took 8.4 per cent of profits. What is today's percentage?
3. In 1951 how many people died in Canadian road accidents every 24 hours?
4. Name the one Canadian city with more men than women.
5. Are more Canadians employed in agriculture, construction, manufacturing or mining?
6. ANSWERS: 1. More than 500 feet. 2. Seven per cent. 3. 1, 167 feet. 4. Windsor, Ont. 5. More than 50 per cent.

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Final results of the 'spiel gave Mrs. Perkins' rink from Regina the title, with three wins and one loss. Mrs. Close of Medicine Hat came second with two wins and two losses, while the Manitoba rink came through with only one win against three losses.

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As the coming attractions went on at a movie, a friend and I talked. Stopping suddenly, I said to my chum, "Now where was I?" "Madam, you were in the beauty parlor trying to become beautiful!" boomed a male voice in front of us. E. G.

After I lectured my neighbor on the will power needed for dieting, she said, "Yes, I know, I just came from the drugist and he asked me to give you your seducing pills to help curb your appetite — will power, indeed!" M. G.

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## Increase In School Budget Will Require Higher Mill Rate

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have not been cancelled in the books against the said parcel.

Moved by Councillor Perrott that we authorize the Secretary-Treasurer to cancel this \$41.26 in accordance with the Tax Recovery Act. Carried.

**Westlock School Division No. 37**  
Letter dated February 7, 1953, advising of a Budget meeting to be held on February 13, 1953, was now read to the Council. The matter was ordered filed by the Council as no representative would be able to attend on that date due to other duties.

### Wm. Burchill,

**Meadow Lake, Saskatchewan**  
Letter and offer as made by the above as road contractor was now read to the Council and was discussed by all members.

Moved by Councillor Perrott that we advise Mr. Burchill that we are prepared to pay him at the rate of \$400.00 per month from May 1, 1953, until the end of the fall, when the Council would be prepared to enter into another contract for the balance of the year. Carried.

### Delegation

Messrs. Tucker, Brandt, Topauf and Litwin now called on the Council regarding road work and west of Sec. 26-W4, going north to join with River Road to St. Albert. They were advised by Reeve Schafers that the agreement will be signed into that locality as soon as road building can be started this spring and that work will definitely be done on the road in question.

### Assessor

Mr. Hanly, Municipal Assessor, now called on the Council and spoke in regard to the assessment of the Overland Drilling Company. He was advised by the Council that they had no authority to cancel any taxes and that approval was required by the Minister in any case. The Council advised the Assessor to call on these people and recommend to them that they pay their taxes under protest and the matter can then be taken up with the Department regarding their protest.

### Assessment Act

Copy of regulations issued on January 20, 1953, under authority of Section 167 of the Assessment Act, being Chapter 157 of the Revised Statutes of Alberta, 1942 with amendments was now read to the Council and the matter was referred to the Municipal Assessor who is to inquire further from the Association of Assessors and other districts in the matter.

### Drainage—W. 14 16-56-26-W4

M. Mills now called on the Council regarding drainage ditch and the drainage problem at the above location. Considerable discussion on this problem was taken up with the Council and it was proposed that this matter be referred to the Department of Water Resources.

Moved by Councillor Perrott that we have this drainage problem referred to the Water Resources Branch and that we request them to have a study made into the matter and that their recommendations in this case be made to the Council and that, as soon as this information is available, it be made known to Mr. Willis. Carried.

### Hospitalization

The case of L. Schreiner, hospitalized at the St. Joseph's Hospital at Barrhead, Alberta, was now brought before the Council. The hospital was advised that as no agreement with the Municipality existed in this case that this was the reason this case had not been accepted. The Council was approved by the Council as dealt with and ordered filed, as no hospitalization agreement exists with the said hospital.

### Culvert—S.E. 14 3-55-27-W4

Mr. Henry Kaup now called on the Council and requested a culvert at the above location.

Moved by Councillor Meunier that we appoint Councillors Perrott and Walker as a committee to investigate this case and, if

found necessary, to have a culvert installed. Carried.

### Pl. S.W. 14 25-57-27-W4

### Hamlet of Busby

Letter as received from Wm. Oldenburg requesting the approval of the Council for the following business licenses was read to Council: Dealer in Farm Implements, Electrical Appliances and Hardware, and Retail Dealer in Motor Vehicles.

Moved by Councillor Perrott that we the Council have no objection and give our approval of the said business and that we advise the Department of Industries and Labour accordingly in order that the necessary licenses may be issued. Carried.

### Central Leduc Oil Limited

Letter dated January 19, 1953, regarding the travelling of road work was now read to the Council.

Moved by Councillor Walker that we submit to them a statement as requested regarding the cost of travelling. Carried.

### By-Law No. 143

A by-law in accordance with Section 230 of the Municipal District Act, being Chapter 151 R.S.A., 1942, for the purpose of restraining and regulating the running at large of dogs and providing for the killing of dogs running at large, was now passed unanimously by the Council. Said by-law is to be enforced immediately. Carried.

### Operator Application

Application as received from S. Litwak was now read to the Council.

Moved by Councillor Racine that this application be tabled until such a time as the Council are hiring road crew for the season and that the applicant be advised accordingly. Carried.

### P. G. Davies, Q.C.

Solicitor regarding settlement in letters from the Municipal District of St. Albert, the P. S. Weatherman case was now read to the Council as to be made by the Contractor, also correspondence on the J. Gill case.

### Ordered filed.

### Fir Planting, Three Inch

Letter from the Continental Lumber Company regarding planting was now read to the Council. The lumber can be shipped either rough or dressed.

Moved by Councillor Walker that we write to the following for carload prices on rough 2-inch planting from 14 to 20 foot lengths: F.O.B. Morinville Alberta Continental Lumber Company, Beaver (Alberta) Lumber Company, Alberta Association of Municipal Districts. Carried.

### Survey Of Roadway Through

**River Lot 7, S. 9, 10 and 11 And Pt. A St. Albert Settlement**  
Letter dated January 21, 1953 regarding the above roadway was now read to the Council as received from the Director of Surveys.

Moved by Councillor Racine that this matter be filed for the present as the District Engineer is to make an inspection in this case and is to report to the District Engineer. Carried.

### Morinville Utilities Limited

**Exemption Lot 72, Plan VIII**

### Town Of Morinville

Moved by Councillor Meunier that the Reeve and Secretary-Treasurer be authorized to execute the easement in favor of the above utility. For crossing of gas pipe across said lot. Carried.

### Edmonton District Planning

**Committee**

Moved by Councillor Walker that we accept the budget as received, our share being \$850.00, and that we advise the Council that the distribution of costs does not seem equitable taking into consideration the services being rendered under the municipalities. Carried.

### Edmonton Chamber Of Commerce

Moved by Reeve Schafers that we make a grant of \$25.00 in the past in the sum of \$25.00 for "Save the Soil Campaign" which is sponsored yearly by the above mentioned. Carried.

## Alberta Association of Municipal Districts

Letters as received from the above dated January 20, 1953, in regards to the Workers' Compensation Board and Councillors and the elimination of cattle guards by the railways was read and ordered filed as this matter has previously been attended to by the Council.

### Roadway Between River Lots

### 51 and 52

Agreement between the Municipal District and Gwen Investments Limited was now read to the Council. It provides for the cancellation of the present right-of-way which is not built at any point and receiving in exchange a 76-foot road allowance immediately to the west of the present allowance, which was formerly the old street car line to St. Albert which is opened. The town of St. Albert is to be consulted in regard to the matter affecting the town is concerned and also the owners on the adjacent sub-division.

Moved by Councillor Racine that we the Council agree to this agreement in accordance with Plan as shown, subject to the approval of the Director of Surveys and the Municipal District Secretary-Treasurer be authorized to execute the said agreement. Gwen Investments Limited is to have the new location approved by the Director of Surveys and approach the town of St. Albert for the continuation of the said road within 30 days. Carried.

### Sturgeon Health Unit

Letter dated February 9th, 1953, as received from the above mentioned agency was as from February 16, 1953, their new address would be at 12634 Fort Trail, Edmonton, Alberta, in the new Administration Building of the Municipal District of Sturgeon No. 90, was read to the Council and approved.

### Civil Defence

Report as prepared by Arthur L. Stapleton, the Municipal Director of the activities of Civil Defence for the year 1952, was now read to the Council and approved. Council adjourned the meeting at 7:00 p.m. and reconvened February 21, 1953, at 10:00 a.m. All members of the Council were present as well as D. C. Ritchie, District Engineer, and L. Henderson from the Department of Highways.

### Drainage Problem

The drainage problem in Sections 16, 17 and 21-54-25-W4 was brought up by the Council to the District Engineer and he advised the Council of the problem at the said location which is adjacent to Highway No. 2. He advised the Council that they look further into the matter and would report to them. The problem has previously been investigated.

### School Signs Indian Reserve

### No. 134

Request for signs on the reserve due to the heavy traffic was read to Council. The Council were advised that this matter would be gone into and they would be advised accordingly. Agent has advised the Council he will erect the signs when furnished.

### Sundance Mines Limited

Letter dated February 20, 1953, as received from the above was now read to the Council regarding the rental of their heavy equipment.

Moved by Councillor Walker that we advise the above mentioned that as the Council contemplate the hiring of equipment, that we refer to the hiring of their equipment as referred to in their letter of the 20th.

### Carried.

### Fairbanks Morse Coal Stoker

Moved by Reeve Schafers that we place an offset price on this stoker at \$200 cash and that we receive offers from the parties interested in purchasing the same. Carried.

### 1953 Road Program

The District Engineer now took the matter of selection of roads on which Government grants are to be allocated and also advised the Council as to the specification of the roads that the Government required in order to earn the grants allocated. He advised the Council that he would be back in

March for further consideration into the district roads as selected by the Council for Government grants for the year and he recommended to the Council a general foreman for the district under the Council for the supervision and construction of roads as selected. Gravel projects and the Riviere Qui Barre road were also taken up, as well as the reconstructing of the Lac Ste. Anne trail contemplated. He advised the Council to localize their work as much as possible as only in this way can cost be kept at a minimum by eliminating too many moves.

### Jasper Auto Parts Ltd.

Letter dated February 18, 1953, in regards to their yard located on the St. Albert Trail was now read to the Council.

Moved by Councillor Meunier that this matter be referred to the Edmonton District Planning Commission for their views in the matter in order that the Council may be in a position to consider this request. Carried.

### City of Edmonton—Welfare

**Department**  
Letter dated February 20, 1953, as received from the above was now read to Council.

Moved by Councillor Racine that we appoint our Welfare Officer to attend the meeting held on February 25, 1953, at 1:30 p.m. Carried.

### Tax Recovery Act

The case of Lots 27 to 31 inclusive was now gone into in the Council, being property in the subdivision of Pittsburgh in Plan 2910-S-3.

Moved by Reeve Schafers that we accept \$10.00 for the said lots as received from Julia Shantz of Cardiff, Alberta. Carried.

### By-Law No. 144

A By-Law concerning the sale of Lots 27, 28, 29, 30 and 31 in Block A, Plan 2610-S was now read in the first and second reading.

Moved by Councillor Meunier that this By-Law be given third and final reading and passed forthwith. Carried.

### Department of Agriculture

### Veterinary Services Branch

Letter dated February 15, 1953, re Coyote Control and Rabies was now read to the Council. It was proposed by the Council that publicity to our present By-Law be given and the exterminating of coyotes through the use of more coyote getters (shells and bait) be increased and published by our pest control office.

### Overland Drilling and Servicing

### Ltd.

Letter as received from the above regarding this case was read to the Council. Settlement has been received in the sum of \$2751.84.

Moved by Councillor Walker that we refer this matter to the Department with all correspondence for their view in the matter in order that the Council may be guided accordingly. Carried.

### Personal Property Tax

Letter dated February 19, 1953, from the New Richfield Petroleum Limited regarding 1952 taxes in the sum of \$160.72 was now read to Council.

Moved by Reeve Schafers that we advise these people that we will accord them the time as requested. Carried.

### Pl. N.E. 14 23-53-25-W4

Request for an acreage of two acres on the above land to construct a dwelling was now presented to the Council.

Moved by Councillor Walker that we refer this matter to the Edmonton District Planning Commission for their recommendation in the matter. Carried.

### Council adjourned at 12:15 o'clock n.m. to reconvene at 1:00 o'clock n.m.

### Ratepayers Annual Meeting

The Council was adjourned to attend the annual meeting of the ratepayers at 1:05 p.m. Council reconvened at 5:00 p.m.

### Discussion Of Service Board

Discussion of Service Board for the coming year was now taken by the Council. It was proposed to appoint these members at the March meeting.

The presentation of accounts having been approved, these were ordered paid.

### Next Meeting

Moved by Councillor Meunier that we hold our next meeting on

## Morinville Seniors Play At McLennan

**MORINVILLE**—Last week-end probably marked the end of the hockey season. At least in points such as Morinville, where once again ice is the order of the day.

Morinville hockey players and fans took advantage of this last chance to play against worthy adversaries, i.e., the McLennan Senior Hockey team at McLennan, who, incidentally, proved to be worthy adversaries.

About twenty ardent fans accompanied the Morinville team on the 300-mile trip to witness two hard-fought bouts in the McLennan arena at the week-end. The first game, played on Saturday night, ended in a five-all tie, but Morinville had to bow out to McLennan in the Sunday afternoon game, by a score of nine to six.

Among the fans who so loyally supported the local team was Paul Cote of Sundance Mines Ltd., who advocated a more active interest in ventures of this nature with a view to promoting goodwill among the neighboring communities, particularly those of our northern friends who seem to go all out with the welcome mat whenever Morinville extends a challenge.

It is, however, to be deplored that the compliment cannot be returned, due to the fact that no arena is available in Morinville.

A movement is underway, though, to rectify this matter. On Wednesday, March 18, the Morinville Sports Association is holding a meeting at the Community Hall at 8:30 p.m. sharp and the topic of discussion will be the building of an arena for the coming season.

A curling rink was built and paid for this season, so it is no doubt reasonable to assume that an arena will attain as much support. However, everyone is urged to get behind the project for maximum results.

Everyone is, therefore, urged to turn out on Wednesday, March 18, to pledge his support.

Thursday, March 12th, beginning at 10:00 o'clock a.m. Carried.

Moved by Reeve Schafers that this meeting be adjourned at 6:15 p.m. Carried.



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# News From Other Alberta Towns

## Teachers Salaries Major Expenditure In Killam S.D. Financial Report

SEDGEWICK — Recently published financial statement for the Killam School Division shows that during 1952 revenue totalled \$433,289.15. Of this amount, the sum of \$310,325.18 was realized from requisitions on municipalities and \$116,138.90 from government grants, including \$12,645.83 from the School Buildings Assistance Board.

Other revenues were received from tuition fees, sale of property, rents, etc.

Expenditures grossed \$402,910.81, to leave a surplus of \$31,378.34 after liquidating a deficit of \$19,344.99 from the previous year. Largest single item was \$188,575.61 for teachers' salaries, more than twice the \$85,951.11 for transportation of pupils. Other significant items included \$2,574.56 for administration, \$44,263.99 for plant operation, and maintenance, \$7,957.07 for tuition payments, \$23,358.73 for debt charges, including repayment of debenture borrowing, and other miscellaneous expenditures.

Total assessed valuation for the whole division was \$10,412,937, and a requisition for \$301,975.18 resulted in a requisition rate of 29 mills.

Copies of the statement are being distributed through schools to parents and through local district secretaries to other ratepayers.

## R. Penman Rink Takes Grand Challenge

CAZAR — The open bonspiel came to its finale on Saturday evening. In the Grand Challenge event the R. Penman rink won first, D. Penman won second, C. Larden rink took third and B. Swelin of Hughenden won fourth.

In the consolation event, the O. Haroldson rink of Delcy took first, A. Lindgren won second, third was won by T. Grocock and C. Sather got fourth.

The curling rink was packed to capacity during the bonspiel. The ladies served lunch at the rink.

## Bowling Green Homemakers Meet

BOWLING GREEN — The Bowling Green Homemakers met at the home of Mrs. Underwood last Thursday for their February meeting. Our new president, Mrs. H. Warrilaw was in the chair. The secretary, Mrs. C. Bruce read the minutes of the last meeting. Thank you letters were read for fruit received. Ten dollars was donated to the Flood Relief. Yearly programs were distributed, also Health pamphlets. Mrs. J. Peden as convener of the Play Committee stated that a play had been chosen and parts given out, and she anticipates it will be ready for our final card party. Mrs. Warrilaw offered to take the card party Friday, March 13, and also the March meeting. Mrs. P. Gilbert is in charge of the social part of this meeting and all members are asked to bring a piece of real lace for the Roll all. Our Roll Call for February was answered by a Childhood Memory. Mrs. R. Bruce read a very interesting number on "Buying a New Hat." We are sure that all our members will buy a hat for under \$100.00.

At the close of the meeting the hostess, Mrs. Underwood assisted by Mrs. R. Peden served lunch.

## T.V. Potent Medium, Reports Pastor

INNISFREE — "With more than 20,710,000 TV sets in the United States and an anticipated additional five million in 1953, the Church cannot afford to overlook its obligation to make the fullest possible use of this potential, 'modern pulpit,'" stated Elder Geo. Soloniuk, pastor of the Innisfree Seventh-day Adventist Church.

Addressing his congregation at its worship here Saturday, Pastor Soloniuk announced a special offering which was received Feb. 24 to promote the church's coast-to-coast television program, Faith for Today. The offering is to be used to expand the coverage of the Adventist weekly religious program, now in its third year of telecasting.

"With 150 to 200 new television stations expected in 1953," the minister said, "we must plan actively to do our part to see that cheap and unwholesome programs do not monopolize this potent influence in the North American home."

## Clovelly Community Hold Annual Meeting

CLOVELLY — The annual meeting of the Clovelly Community Association was held on February 25, electing the following slate of officers for 1953: President, Andrew Machin; vice-president, Frank Scott; secretary-treasurer, Ruby Bauer; directors, Joe Bauer, Harvey Robertson and George Witting; auditors, Margaret Machin, Norma Welling.

At present the association has 18 members, and it is hoped that others will be interested in joining by paying their annual fee of 50c to either the president or secretary. A social committee, made up of the lady members of the association will continue to manage the card parties and other entertainments.

## Fedorah Organizes C.G.I.T. Group

FEDORAH — The first meeting of the C.G.I.T. was held in the home of Mrs. R. Dawson, the second meeting was held at the home of Mrs. W. DeMarre, where the election of officers took place. The following were elected to office: President, Miss E. Austin; vice-president, Miss S. Elsiniger; secretary, Miss Nora Austin; treasurer, Miss Joan Briggs; leaders, Mrs. R. Dawson and Mrs. W. DeMarre.

The next meeting of the C.G.I.T. will be held at the home of Mrs. R. Dawson, where the topic of discussion will be their uniforms.

## BEISEKER CURLING RINK DESTROYED BY FIRE

BEISEKER — Beiseker's two-sheet curling rink burned to the ground around 2 o'clock Monday afternoon and only good work on the part of the Acme Fire Brigade which was called to the help of the local brigade saved the adjoining skating rink, dressing rooms and other residential buildings.

Adam Delker, who operates a blacksmith business across the street from the rink, noticed smoke pouring from the building. He called for help but when they broke in the building was a raging inferno. No one was in the rink when the fire started.

Origin of the fire was unknown. As far as is known no one was

## Rising Costs Force Requisition Rise In Vegreville School Division

VEGREVILLE — On Tuesday the Board of Trustees of Vegreville School Division No. 19 concluded a two-day meeting at which the Board adopted the 1953 Budget for the Division. Faced with rising costs in all departments, together with necessary facilities in new classrooms and bus extensions, it was found necessary to raise the requisition rate on municipal authorities by some thirteen (13) per cent.

It was pointed out that this is the first increase in school requisition rate since 1949. The sound financial position of the Division has made possible the stable rate over the past four years.

The meeting was attended by the Chairman, R. H. Hinton and Trustees W. G. Porayak, L. S. Cole, M. T. Tym, R. J. Whitson and A. T. Mandrak. During the budget deliberations the Board had the benefit of the advice of representatives from some of the municipal authorities that contribute to the Division's requisition. Manville was represented by Mayor C. G. Torrance. From the Municipal District of Eagle, Councillor Petrak was in attendance and from M.D. of Minburn, Councillor Wm. Johnson.

The Board had before it the Auditor's Report for 1952. It showed expenditures including buildings to be over Five Hundred Thousand Dollars, of which some Twenty-one Thousand was used from Capital Fund Surplus. Expenditures did not exceed the estimates for the year. The books and records of the Division were reported to be in very good order. The report was adopted by the Board.

Trustee Tym and Superintendent Pacey reported to the Board on the emergency closing of Lake Gillroy School. The small number of pupils there will be served by an extension of the Wilberforce bus route. A temporary teacher was appointed to take over Underwood School. The Board dealt with matters of minutes, correspondence and Treasurer's statements and gave direction on matters therein.

Notice was received from the Teachers Salary Negotiating Committee that it wished to meet the Board in March to present a request for a substantial increase in all teacher salaries, to be effective in September, 1953.

A meeting of Branch No. 2 of the Alberta School Trustees Association will be held in Wainwright on March 4. It was decided that all Board members should attend.

The Secretary presented a report on the various forms of liability insurance in force in the Division. The Board directed that coverage limits be raised on all policies.

Schools in the Division will resume the 9:00 a.m. opening hour as from March 16. A committee of the Board was named to report on possible bus transportation for Bloomington and Chatsworth Schools.

The Board heard the report of

Works Foreman Wm. Eickmeyer on building and maintenance. Preliminary plans for the new primary school at Vegreville are now in the hands of the Department of Education for approval. Approval for an improved sewage disposal system for Manville Schools is being sought from the Department of Public Health. The Board opened sealed tenders for the installation of a propane hot water system for Manville primary school. Tenders received were: Leitch Hardware \$775.00, Midland Hardware \$700.52, Joe's Plumbing \$740.95. The Board accepted the lowest, Midland Hardware \$700.52.

Curriculum arrangements in the centralized schools were reviewed. Some changes were made and Division salary rates were adjusted where it was considered to be required.

After fixing requisitions and final adoption of the budget, the Board adjourned to meet again on Monday, March 23.

## Adeline Hewko Wins Gold Medal

MUNDARE — The Annual Oratorical Contest and display of the Ukrainian Catholic Press were held on Sunday evening, March 1, at the Mundare National Hall. The event was sponsored by the Sodality of Blessed Virgin Mary.

Ten youthful orators participated in the contest with Adeline Hewko taking the trophy and a gold medal. Ernest Fedorchuk, silver medal, and Adolph Nay a bronze medal. Betty Bartlik, Phyllis Topik, Leona Hawryluk, Sonia Caruk, Susan Atamanchuk, Ann Kostuk and Margaret Haran received books. The addresses consisted of anecdotes from the lives of great people.

Adjudicators were Mrs. C. Woycenko, Mr. S. Ruzyski, and Mr. M. Tomyn.

The trophy was presented by the last year's winner, Marcia Topik. The other awards were presented by Mary Bartlik, president of the Club.

To round out the program, Anne Blytk and Antoinette Warawa sang a duet, followed by a trio with Bernice Hewko, Betty Lou Slepanski, Nichole Strlichuk and Mary-Jane Korchnick performed an action song. Nelson Ruzyski, Ernest Ruzyski and R. Ruzyski provided an instrumental trio.

Speakers were the Rev. Father Vital and Mr. M. Slepanski. Sister Marion trained the contestants and arranged the program.

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## Beiseker Organist Honored At Party

BEISEKER — Mrs. Lou Brosteaux was honored at a farewell party, given by the male choir of St. Mary's Church of Beiseker at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Val Schmalz.

Father A. Ferman, on behalf of the choir and the parish, presented Mrs. Brosteaux with a beautiful gold and crystal censer in recognition of her faithful service as organist. Mr. and Mrs. Brosteaux are moving to Calgary.

## \$1 for BRIGHT SAYINGS

The Editor will pay \$1.00 for each child's saying printed. To qualify, item must be true, personal remarks of a child known to the writer. Address: Bright Sayings, P.O. Box 1485, South Edmonton.

My small granddaughter aged four, was playing with her toys on the floor for some time. On getting up she discovered she had "pins and needles" in her leg. Calling her Mummy, she said, "I have ginger ale in my leg."

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One night our neighbors were coming home from visiting when their little girl, Doreen, noticed the moon for the first time. "Mummy," she asked, "is that God's electric light?"

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### Unusual Request

To neutralize the odor of the stockyards district as the bus went by it, a lady passenger bought a bottle of lavender salts. She uncorked the bottle one block away from the district and kept it under her nose until the bus passed the section.

One morning as she rode along she glanced out of the window and saw that it was time to uncork the bottle. She did so and held it to her nose. As the smell of stockyards grew stronger she held the bottle closer to her nose. When the bus reached the heart of the stockyards district, a man across the aisle shouted:

"For gosh sake lady, close that bottle!"

### Not That Way

An Irish bricklayer was on the top of the partly-built house, and shouted to the foreman that he "could not find his way down to the ground."

"You fool—come down the way you went up," shouted the foreman.

"Not on yer life. I came up head first," the Irishman yelled back.

### Crushing Retort

First (clinging in dressing room) — Not only that, but you get uglier every day.

Second. Ditto — Another thing that I can do and you can't.

### Basic American

In Johannesburg, South Africa an old lady sitting opposite a gun-chewing U.S. soldier at a suburban cafe, smiled amiably, finally leaning forward and said apologetically:

"It's very kind of you to talk to me, sir, but I am stone-deaf."

### Let Him Through

Aviator (explaining crash)—I just happened to get into an airport.

Sympathetic Old Lady — Oh, dear! And I suppose there was a hole in it.

### Not From the Sound

Margery — What makes baby cry so, Mamma?

Mother—He's getting his teeth, dear.

Margery — Well, doesn't he want to have 'em?

### Taking Advice

Hoping to inspire his workers with promptness and energy, a Canadian business man hung a number of signs reading "DO IT NOW!" around his factory and office.

When he was asked some weeks later how his staff had reacted, he shook his head sadly.

"I don't even like to talk about it," he said. "The head book-keeper eloped with the best secretary I ever had; three typists asked for an increase; the factory hands decided to go on strike and the office boys joined the navy."

### Patience

A man had been waiting patiently in the post office, but could not attract the attention of either of the girls behind the counter.

"The evening cloak," explained one of the girls to her companion, "was a redignote design in cognac lama brocade with fox fur and wide pascade sleeves."

At this point the long-suffering customer broke in with:

"I wonder if you could provide me with a neat purple stamp with a dinky perforated hem. The ton ensemble deliberately treated on the reverse side with rouchage. Something at about two cents."

## Bon Accord Beekeepers' Association Holds Annual Meeting

BON ACCORD — The annual meeting of the Bon Accord Beekeepers' Association was held in Bon Accord on Monday, March 2.

The following officers were elected for the year 1955: President, W. R. Rigney; vice-president, John Pasnak; secretary-treasurer, Pete Kowalski; directors, Mrs. H. W. Briggs, Steve Sawchuk, and Joe Kryschuk.

Orders for package bees were placed through the Alberta Honey Producers Co-operative at quantity discount price. Delivery of bees is expected for Saturday, April 18. Further orders for package bees can still be placed by contacting Pete Kowalski at 11219 101st St., Edmonton, or through the Alberta Honey Producers Co-operative, 10019 106th Ave., Edmonton.

Great enthusiasm was shown among the members present at the meeting concerning the legume seed growers who are now seeking beekeepers to place their hives near their clover fields for pollination purposes. Beekeeping is gaining its recognition and importance among the legume seed growers and gardeners.

Mr. W. G. LeMaistre, Provincial Apiarist, attended the meeting and gave a very interesting talk

on the time to start package bees for the best honey production.

He said he had advocated for several years, that Alberta beekeepers should have their packages arrive earlier. He explained that it takes five or six weeks before the eggs a queen bee lays becomes field bees. And to have a large field force of bees when the honey flow begins about July 1st will mean a larger crop of honey from a hive.

Some tests, conducted under the supervision of the Department of Agriculture demonstrated that in 1952 package bees installed April 5 produced 35 per cent more honey than packages hived April 26th. In that year honey production was good in most districts. Mr. LeMaistre said this difference in productivity between early and late packages would probably be greater in a poor season.

Mrs. W. R. Rigney, assisted by Mrs. Briggs, served an excellent lunch, tea and coffee after the meeting.

On the whole the meeting, held at Mr. Rigney's, was a great success.

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Dear Louisa,

I am a girl twenty-seven years old and I have been dating a boy for about ten years. He has been very nice to me but here lately he has been going out with a married woman who is much older than I am.

I love him very much but what must I do—let him go or not?

Answer:

My advice is to let him go. If he hasn't got around to the question of marriage after ten years of dating, he evidently has no intention of ever doing so. And certainly, if he is going out with a married woman, he is not the kind of person you can depend on even if he does ask you to marry him.

Get interested in someone else and stop wasting time with him.

Dear Louisa,

I liked a boy who was sixteen and I was fourteen but my mother wouldn't allow me to go on dates with him because she said I was too young. So he started to like another girl who was my same age but who could go out on dates.

In the meantime he has moved almost a hundred miles away from here and I would like to write to him. Do you think it would be all right for me to do that as he has not written to me?

Answer:

I told someone a few weeks ago the same thing I am telling you

now. It is always correct to send a greeting card of some kind to anyone so why not send a Valentine or Easter card to your friend. You could put a short personal note on it saying that his old friends were missing him and would like to see him sometime.

Dear Louisa,

I am the mother of seven children. My husband won't help with the children or give me any money to buy the children clothes for school. All they have is what is given to them and that is very few. I am sick half of the time but have no money to go to the doctor. Do you think it would be wise for me to see a lawyer about this?

Please help me if you can.

Answer:

Your husband should certainly be made to support your children. If you don't know a good lawyer why don't you talk to a minister in our community and perhaps he can tell you of a good lawyer who can help you.

Louisa,

## Athletic Thief

DENVER, Colo.—A burglar who evidently wanted to develop his muscles, broke in the YMCA recently, taking a 300-pound barbell weight-lifting set, valued at \$110. Police want to present him with some more bars—stretching vertically in front of windows.

## NEW COMMISSIONER APPOINTED FOR EDMONTON DISTRICT SCOUTS

The Edmonton District Council of the Boy Scouts Association announced today the arrival of Donald R. Milne, the new Executive Commissioner of the Edmonton district. Mr. Milne is well qualified for his post. He graduated in Arts and Social Work from the University of Toronto with a B.A. and Master's Degree in Social Work. Mr. Milne will administer, develop, and promote scouting in the district under the direction of Tom L. Robinson, District Commissioner. Mr. Milne has been a Cub Scout, Rover, Scout Master, on the Canadian Headquarters Staff, and the Field Staff of the Saskatchewan Provincial Council.



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### Local FUA Hears Hon. D. A. Ure

MORINVILLE — The Morinville local of the Farmers' Union of Alberta held a meeting in the Community Hall March 6, with about 110 persons present.

Hon. David Ure, Minister of Agriculture, was guest speaker, taking the place of Hon. Lucien Mavand, who was unable to attend.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read, adopted and discussed. A panel discussion took place on parity prices with Laura Gibson, Walter Elliott, Jim Elliott, Phil Gibson, Paul Hogue and Mark Saffin taking part. Angus McGillivray, chairman, ably conducted the discussion. On the completion of the final discussion, members from the floor offered opinions on the subject.

On a show of hands the meeting gave full support for parity prices on the portion of Canadian farm products which is used on the domestic market. They were not in favor of any measure of

production control. Floor prices on all principal farm products was regarded as a No. 1 objective as a measure to fall back on in time of economic disaster.

Honorable David Ure then gave a very inspiring address. He spoke on parity prices, the five-year pool, the International wheat agreement, Dominion-Provincial conference of the Ministers of Agriculture and the setting of a floor price on hogs.

He spoke on the cost of production of eggs and the price at which an efficient farmer could raise eggs and the margin he could derive. He encouraged co-operative enterprises. He also spoke of the first duty of a farmer's union. He said farmers should produce as much as possible and never have production control. He then mentioned how the Dominion Government could handle surpluses. A question period followed the address.

Mr. Saffin moved a hearty vote of thanks to Hon. David Ure for being able to attend the meeting and for the excellent address. He also four-line addressed addressers. Cook books that were compiled

### Fort Lions Club Sponsors Carnival

PORT SASKATCHEWAN — The Lions Club of Port Saskatchewan held their annual carnival on March 6. Four candidates in the field for Carnival Queen were: Miss Pauline Langlois sponsored by the CYO, Miss Sherrill Mavan sponsored by the Brudersheim Lions Club, Miss Muriel Henderson sponsored by the local Canadian Legion and Miss Betty Paton sponsored by the Port Saskatchewan High School.

The program arranged included an exhibition of fancy skating by Jean Baen and Emily Thompson, barrel jumping, comic and fancy costumes and races, etc.

A dance followed in the evening

by the Farm Women's Union were offered for sale and there was a great interest in them.

The chairman announced that the next FUA meeting would be held on Wednesday, April 1, at which the Seed Growers' Association will present two hours of films and lectures.

Coffee and doughnuts were served. Adjournment was moved by Phil Gibson.

### DAIRY COUNCIL CONVENTION WILL FEATURE SPECIAL SPEAKERS

EDMONTON — When the National Dairy Council convenes in Edmonton next week, delegates will be privileged to hear many special speakers, each of whom is an expert in his particular field.

Among the speakers will be Hon. A. J. Hooke, Minister of Economic Affairs in the Alberta Government, and his fellow cabinet minister, Jim D. A. Ure, Provincial Minister. Agriculture; Mr. Gilbert MacMillan, president of the Dairy Farmers of Canada; Dr. E. Cramp-ton of MacDonald College; Mr. Howard Kelly, Q.C. and President J. J. Creighton, who directs the affairs of the Council.

Prior to the Council convention, the Product Advisory Committees will meet on March 15 under the following chairmen: Butter, J. S. Turnbull, Regina; Milk, G. M. Carlyle, Calgary; Cheese, K. H. Olive, Montreal; Ice cream, Pierre Cote, Quebec; evaporated milk, W. L. Loet of Montreal.

All persons attending are urged to take in these informal sessions, which should be of great value to the plant operators.

Ladies attending the convention will be entertained on Tuesday afternoon, March 17 by the Edmonton Milk Foundation.

### Mrs. C. R. Wood To Head Stony Plain Town Council

STONY PLAIN — Voters went to the polls in Stony Plain Monday, and when the balloting was complete, Mrs. C. R. Wood was elected mayor.

Mrs. Wood's 171 votes were sufficient to elect her over Mr. J. H. Kulak and Mr. William Barth, who finished in that order.

Three councillors were elected to office, Mr. John Underschlutz topping the poll, followed by August Zutz and Leigh Normand. Defeated candidates were Ed Danhauser and Lloyd Willey.

This is how the voting went: For Mayor—Mrs. C. R. Wood, 171; Mr. J. H. Kulak, 151; Mr. Wm. Barth, 84.

For Councillors — J. Underschlutz, 302; A. Zutz, 256; L. Normand, 227; E. Danhauser, 197; L. Willey, 78.



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"My name is Phyllis. I am six years old. I have a club foot. For a long time my Mommy and Daddy thought I would always be very lame. Soon I will be able to walk without my crutches. Mommy says I am a very lucky girl . . . I think so too!"

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Alberta Red Cross Crippled Children's Hospital, Calgary, Alberta.

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maintenance personnel . . . it takes provincial government financial assistance as well as all the support through contributions that the people of Alberta can possibly give.

Red Cross work in Alberta is estimated at an annual cost of over \$600,000. Of this total \$221,740 will be required to carry on the work of Alberta's Red Cross Crippled Children's Hospital. After provincial grants have been deducted an estimated amount of \$123,965 is still needed. When the Red Cross worker asks for your contribution . . . give as much as you can.

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CAMPAIGN MARCH 2-31, 1953.

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● The maintenance of the hospital brace shop where hundreds of braces and harnesses for crippled limbs are made.

● In the maintenance of an adequate school and library in the hospital for the education of young minds so that patients may acquire a sound education as well as overcome their physical handicaps.

● In support of the hospital orthopaedic "gym", specially equipped for the correction of remedial disabilities.

● To treat cases and restore the health of patients suffering from Orthopaedic conditions, including osteomyelitis, rickets, scoliosis, congenital anomalies.

● Club feet, club hands, hip dislocations and numerous other deformities.

● Arthrogryposis conditions, osteoarthritis of the bones, traumatic conditions (amputations, etc.), malunited fractures, poliomyelitis, arthritis and numerous others.

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## School Budget Adopted...

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endeavor to find a solution to this problem.

A delegation from the St. Charles School District called to interview the Board. Consideration was asked to the requests for a new three-room school at Mearns.

On the motion of Mr. McCue the sketch plans for the proposed Horse Hill School, which had been submitted by the architect, Neil C. McKernan, were approved.

It was decided to call for tenders for the electrical installation at the Bon Accord School.

The meeting adjourned at 5:30 p.m. until the following morning.

The meeting re-assembled on Thursday, February 12, all members present.

A delegation from Nampa called to interview the Board. Better High School facilities were requested for this centre, and request made for an additional room. The delegation was assured that careful consideration would be given the requests made.

At 3:30 the teachers' salary negotiating committee called to interview the Board. The teachers requested the Board to adopt a single salary schedule effective September 1, 1953. The present schedule is "positional." The Divisional Board was agreeable to this proposal, provided the limits were fixed at a reasonable figure. The discussion ended shortly after

six o'clock, without any agreement having been reached. The Divisional Board would prepare proposals for the teachers, and would send same to the members of the negotiating committee.

The meeting adjourned at 6:30 p.m. and agreed to reassemble on Tuesday, February 17, at ten o'clock.

The meeting re-assembled on February 17, all members present, also Superintendent Scott and Secretary Meaden.

Messrs. McKelvey and Nadeau, representing the Dominion Life Assurance Company, called to interview the Board.

A plan of group insurance for the operators of the school buses was explained. A sufficiently large percentage of the bus operators had signified their wish to participate in the benefits of such a plan, and the secretary-treasurer had agreed to assist with details.

Mr. Allen moved "That authority be given the secretary-treasurer to make deductions from the bus operators' monthly cheques for payment of premium for group insurance."

Revised regulations for bus operators, which had been prepared by Superintendent Scott, were now considered. On the motion of Mr. McCue these regulations were approved and ordered sent to bus operators and to principals of centralized schools.

It was decided to tender a banquet for the bus patrols and operators on Tuesday, March 31.

The place for this event to be decided at a later meeting.

Further discussion on the question of the teachers' salary proposals now ensued. Proposals were drafted and would be sent to the salary negotiating committee, who would submit them to the teachers.

A by-law covering a debenture issue of \$60,000.00 for new construction was given three readings and carried.

The date for the next meeting



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ST. ALBERT Alta.

of the Divisional Board was set for March 19.

The meeting adjourned at 9:45 p.m. Sugar beet growers in Canada now are producing enough raw material to supply roughly one-quarter of Canada's sugar needs.

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## TOWN OF ST. ALBERT

### SYNOPSIS OF BY-LAW NO. 2, 1953

This By-law provides for the issuance of debentures of the Town in the sum of \$60,000.00 for the purpose of providing a sewer and sewage disposal system for the Town.

The By-law authorizes the Council to install the said system and for the purpose to issue debentures of the Town in the sum of \$60,000.00.

The sum of \$25,185.00 is to be charged by way of special assessment for local improvements against all properties abutting on the streets and avenues wherein the said system is to be installed, payable at an annual rate per front foot of frontage of 18c, payable for a period of 20 years. The balance is borrowed on the credit of the Town at large and provision is made for the levying of annual rates on all taxable property in the Town to provide for the annual payments on the said sum after crediting annual net revenues from the operation of the system.

The debentures are to be dated as may be appropriate having regard to the date of sale and are to be payable in twenty annual or semi-annual installments of principal in each of the years 1954 to 1973 inclusive, with interest at a rate not exceeding 6% per annum.

If the loan can be obtained under the provisions of The Self-Liquidating Projects Act, then the debentures will be repayable in forty equal amortized semi-annual installments of combined principal and interest. The debentures may be made redeemable at the option of the Town on or after the 1st day of June, 1963.

### Notice

The above is a true synopsis of a proposed By-law of the Town of St. Albert which has been introduced and which will be finally passed by the Council within four weeks from the assent of the proprietary electors thereto.

Wednesday, the 15th day of April, 1953, at The Community Hall, in the Town of St. Albert, has been fixed by the Council as the time and place for taking the vote of the proprietary electors thereon and the poll will be open for such purpose between the hours of 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon and 7:00 o'clock in the afternoon.

DATED at the Town of St. Albert, in the Province of Alberta, this 3rd day of March, 1953.

HAROLD E. VAGUE,

Returning Officer.